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For: INFORMATION STORAGE SYSTEM, INFORMATION TRANSFER SYSTEM AND
STORAGE MEDIUM THEREOF

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Respectfully submitted,

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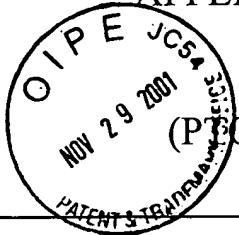


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	11-259964	9/24/1999	Japan (w/ English Abstract)				
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